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The COURIER will not be responsible for any debts made by any one in its name, unless a written order accompanies the same, properly signed, of course.

WESSEL & DOBBS, Prop'rs.

It is said an Iowa representative does not like to pay for his slave. There are many men in Lincoln who go farther and won't pay for anything.

A DAKOTA Justice of the peace has made the announcement that during leap year he will charge no fee for marrying couples who will admit that the marriage was brought about by the lady exercising her leap year prerogative.

Two more men nearly escaped from Nebraska City's renowned jail, which is not exactly as strong as Samson is reputed to have been. The Ohio county authorities should confine prisoners in the distillery; then there would be no doubt of their remaining.

ALL our idols are created only to be shattered. Lotta, whom everybody supposed would live and die a spinster, is to be married to her leading man. Mary Anderson can now look with pitying eyes upon Miss Crabtree, and exclaim with Shakespeare, "Et tu, Lotta."

WALT MASON will shortly commence the publication in the Journal of detective tales from the private diaries of Marshal Cooper and Captain Post. They will be written in Mr. Mason's happiest vein, and where the sacrifice to truth is not too great, each villain will be made a fat one.

AND now it is claimed that the telephone was in use in India two thousand years ago. When we consider the difficulties of operating a modern instrument and the moral depravity consequent thereto, we do not wonder that the task of rescuing the East Indians from savagery requires so much time, patience and money.

THE COURIER has been selected as the organ of the Volapuk society, and in another column will be found an article treating of nouns and adjectives, and a careful study will soon convince the skeptic of the ease with which this new language can be learned. The society is flourishing, and it is only a question of time when Volapuk will become the universal commercial language.

THAT sterling magazine, Home Knowledge for April is as usual a most excellent number. Felix L. Oswald continues his dissertations on "Home Education," Josephine Rand contributes more valuable hints on "Practical Voice Culture," another installment of that fascinating story, "The Junior Partner" is given, while the miscellaneous matter, essays, etc., are of the same high standard that characterizes Home Knowledge.

COLONEL Donn Platt, the Washington journalist, like Mr. Gere of the Journal and Mr. Clarkson of the Des Moines Register, is noted for the legibility of his handwriting. A short time ago, while in the Providence hospital, he sent a note to a friend, the postscript to which read or seemed to read: "I am in a blessed haven of rest." The friend was considerably relieved when he found out that what the colonel really meant was: "I am in a blessed haven of rest."

On the inside pages of this week's issue will be found an extended article treating of the first battle of Vicksburg, elegantly illustrated with portraits of Generals Sherman and Pemberton and Admirals Farragut, Porter and Walker, together with maps showing the lines of battle, both sides. This is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Vicksburg campaign, which was the turning point of the war of the rebellion. We shall continue to publish these battle sketches during the year, and trust they may meet in the future the same cordial reception they have in the past.

LITERATURE, an illustrated weekly magazine (\$1.00 a year) has certainly successfully taken the field as the popular literary journal of America. Its great variety of contents, handy form, and choice illustrations, make it exceedingly attractive. Foremost American authors are among its contributors. Mrs. Susan E. Wallace, wife of the author of "Ben Hur," and quite as charming a writer as her husband, has papers in two current issues of "The Poetry and Music of the Arabs." For a specimen copy free address John B. Alden, Publisher, 393 Pearl St., New York; P. O. Box 1227.

LINCOLN needs more advertising. Every city and town in Kansas and a large number in Nebraska are flooding the country with boom editions of newspapers, pamphlets, plates, etc., putting forth every inducement for people to locate, while Lincoln, the best city of them all, is slowly and sadly getting left. A public meeting should be called immediately and steps taken for raising an advertising fund of \$10,000. It is not a large amount, and could be easily raised. There are at least four hundred property owners in the city who would give twenty-five dollars each for that purpose, and they would get it back a hundred fold by the increased value of their property caused by the influx of people that would result from such extensive advertising.

Is his article on "Where to Spend the Summer," in Scribner's for April, Gen. Greely, chief signal officer, makes a prophecy as to the hottest days in the year 1888. The Detroit Journal, taking the matter up, has offered a prize of \$500 to the person guessing correctly, before June 1, what the three days will be. Gen. Greely immediately telegraphed his guess to the paper, in accord with his reasons in Scribner's for April.

### Maximilian and Carlota.

The emperor gave early attention to the condition of the 6,000,000 Indians included in the population of his empire, and took measures to better their condition. He issued a decree emancipating the peons—the victims of a curious system of slavery peculiar to Mexico—which, however, proved ineffectual in the end, though it showed the excellence of motives and that he was not the despot he is so often accused of being. His government was absolute monarchy, it is true, but it was scarcely more autocratic than the republic which preceded it or that which now exists in Mexico. In the extent of their charities the young sovereigns were not to be outdone. The amount of money expended in public and private benevolence, could it be estimated, would astonish the reader. Among the lasting monuments to the goodness of Carlota's heart, is the Casa de Maternidad (lying hospital), in the city of Mexico, built and equipped at her expense. This excellent charity alone would justify the love displayed and still existing for the beautiful but unfortunate empress.—Arthur Howard Noll, in The American Magazine for April.

### P. H. P.

We have looked through the Practical Home Physician with much satisfaction. It is written in an easy and familiar style. We take great pleasure in saying that we regard it as possessing claims to a place in the homes of the people that no other work within our knowledge, on popular medicine, has been found worthy to occupy. The names of the editors furnish a guarantee to the people of its legitimacy, and its close, concise and accurate history of the diseases recorded, and instructions in plain, simple, as to the use of remedies, will command it to the common sense of the general public. Its claims to merit as a scientific, practical work, adapted to the needs of the people, and the subjects treated, are of a high order, and we will take great pleasure in recommending it as a household friend to any family, and as a volume full of good, practical and wholesome advice. Our readers will have the opportunity in the coming month to obtain this wonderful work by subscription of Mr. Cobb, the general agent, at 342 south Eleventh street, or from his solicitors who will call on you.

Excursion West and Northwest. Daily excursions have been arranged for over the Union Pacific Railway to San Francisco, San Diego, Colton, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and San Jose, California, also to Portland, Oregon, at \$20.00 for the round trip. Tickets are good 60 days for going passage and good for the return trip for six months from date of sale with the usual stop-over privileges in both directions within these limits.

These tickets are also good by way of Denver and Salt Lake City in each direction. The agent, Mr. E. B. Sloan, tells us quite a number of our townsmen are thinking of making the trip soon, and it would be well for those intending to go in select parties to see him and arrange for their accommodations.

Mr. John B. Frawley, traveling agent, Union Pacific, at Omaha, Neb., will give you any further information in regard to these excursions. Parties who prefer can correspond with Mr. J. S. Tebbets, G. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

### New Train Service on the Elkhorn Line.

Train No. 42 now leaves Lincoln at 6:55 a. m. and runs through south to Missouri Valley and there makes close connections for Sioux City, Chicago and the east. At Fremont direct connection is made for Omaha. Train No. 44 leaves at 10:35 a. m. and carries a sleeper for Chicago which is attached to the C. & N. W. Flyer at Missouri Valley. This train makes connections at Fremont for Norfolk, Chadron, Rapid City, Douglas, Geneva, Hastings, Omaha, Sioux City, St. Paul and intermediate points. Office 115 south 19th street and depot corner S. and 8th streets.

### To Texas Via the Missouri Pacific Railway.

One fare for the round trip from Lincoln to all points. Tickets limited to sixty days, and transit limit going and returning of fifteen days in each direction. Excursions leave Lincoln January 25, February 8 and 29, March 7 and 21. Double line of Pullman sleeping cars from Kansas City. A rare opportunity to visit Texas. Lowest rates ever offered. For maps, descriptive pamphlets, rates, and further information, call on or address H. G. HANNA, General Agent, City Ticket Agent, Corner O and 12th streets.

Brown's Vienna Coffee and Oyster house in the opera house block is the neatest and noblest resort in the city.

For all kinds of society stationery, such as invitations, programs, cards, menus, etc. call at the COURIER office in the new Burr block.

Largest line of Key West and Imported cigars at the Burr block.

### Some Cheap Property.

A fine residence lot on Twenty-first street near N. for sale at a reasonable price. Also one in Mechanics addition, Hyde Park and Elmwood. Will sell cheap if sold immediately. Call on or address L. Wessel, Jr., care this office.

Daily excursions to California via the Missouri Pacific Railway. The tourists favorite route. Choice of two routes going, and privilege of returning any one of four routes. Descriptive folders and all information obtained of H. G. HANNA, Or R. P. R. MILLAR, Gen'l Pass. Agt., City Ticket Agt., cor. O and 12th sts.

Lincoln to Chicago without change via the Elkhorn line.

### The Burlington's Latest.

A superb line of free chair cars now leave Lincoln daily, Sunday included, at 4 p. m. for Chicago, without change. A colored porter accompanies each car to provide for the comfort of passengers, supply toilet articles, etc. Further information may be obtained at city office, corner O and 10th street.

A. C. ZIMMER, City Pass. Agt.

Go east by the St. Louis and the Missouri Pacific railroad and avoid all omnibus transfers; all changes made in Union depots via this route. Chair cars free.

Canon City Coal at the Whitebreast Coal and Lime Co.

Hoarseness in a child is a sure sign of croup and is undoubtedly intended by nature as a warning to mothers. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given, as soon as the hoarseness appears, it will prevent the croup. For sale by W. J. Turner.

## WHAT SHALL WE WEAR?

SOME OF THE EASTER BONNETS. ALL ABOUT THE NEW PARASOLS.

A Few of the English Novelties in Boots and Shoes—Parisian Models in Full Dinner Gowns that Have Found Favor in New York.

The model here given for a full dinner dress is a recent importation in which is set forth the latest Paris fashion in this direction.



FULL DINNER DRESS.

The model represented is of white faille, veiled in front with light amber net, striped with gold tinsel, and sprinkled with gold beads and spangles. A few butterfly bows, in white moire silk and gold galloon, outlined with a broad line of white watered faille, lightly drape the apron, secured at the waist with a shaped band of the diaphanous material. The low bodice, with semi-long sleeves, is draped on the shoulders, and gathered into a point in the center; it only ornaments the front, to show off the beautiful fabric of the gown on the sides and at the back. Diamond studs in the ears. A velvet band sparkling with diamonds, topazes and moonstones round the head.

### Easter Bonnets.

Easter bonnets are small close fitting shapes, with much lower trimmings than those of last season. They are of fancy open straw, chip or Neapolitan braids, and of Chantilly lace or Brussels net. Young ladies will wear low crowned toques in the morning, with trimmings of flowers and velvet ribbon. Large round hats of straw are for the afternoon.

The new Albatron bonnet is close against the head and rather long in the crown. It is made of fancy straw, with a long looped bow of velvet ribbon, set quite on the edge of the front, the two shorter ends going back on the crown, meeting there a spray of flowers.

Very spring like bonnets are of creamy straw in open design, with ribbon draping the edge of the front and forming short pointed loops and bows above the forehead, in which wheat is thrust like an albatron. The newest black bonnets are of Neapolitan braids, with embroidered Brussels net and loops of the braid for trimming. Black Russian net is draped over green or eora rough straw. Unusually light colors are seen on some of the English bonnets. Lisse drapery in colors over coarse straw bonnets is another new fancy.

Close toques of rough straw are seen, so are dressy round hats of rough straw.—Harper's Bazar.

### English Styles for Boots and Shoes.

As English styles prevail to a greater or lesser extent in this country, a description of a few of the English novelties in boots and shoes may not come amiss. A novelty introduced in indoor, walking and tennis shoes, likely to find favor, is Russia leather, in crimson and in tan colors. For indoor shoes, or, as many people call them, ten shoes (as they are generally displayed of an afternoon, when a tea gown is donned) there are some neat examples, in this perfumed leather, with small studs of cut steel or bronze on the instep, which are becoming to the foot.

The walking shoes are lined up with a corresponding color, and the heels are as nearly a match as possible. The tan colored ones made a little start last summer, but the red ones are quite novel. These shoes are also being made for future tennis wear, in a great many sizes. For indoor and evening slippers, bronze ones are much worn, some with single studs of cut steel, gold or bronze; others with fine beadwork of two colors, such as bronze and silver, gold and red; and others still more elaborate, with the toe cap almost covered with a design in gold, silver or bronze spangles. These last are the newest, and are worn at balls with all colored gowns (white slippers with white gowns being considered in best taste).

### Exclusive Novelties in Parasols.

In our cut are represented three of the more distinctive novelties introduced this season in the way of parasols.



FLORAL PARASOLS.

Fig. 1 shows a parasol with a cream silk cover with violet border edged with snow drops and lace, a crown of snow drops at the top. Fig. 2 is a parasol in pale blue crepe de chine, with a large silk water lily at the top, and grass with lace around the edge. Fig. 3 is a parasol in pale blue silk, lined with crepe de chine to match and trimmed with forget me nots and lace.

There is an infinite variety of plain parasols. Some are of glass silk, some of brocade, while others are in plaid or striped silk. The sticks appear to be longer than were those of last season, though the size of the parasol remains about the same.

### To Repair Stonework.

Make a paste of silicate of potash and hydraulic cement, and add half its weight of very fine sand. This adheres perfectly to stonework, and soon becomes very hard and durable. It is especially applicable to stone steps which have become worn from use.

## THE CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM.

It is claimed that rheumatism is sometimes inherited but it is more likely that the persons presumed to inherit it are physically constituted the same as their parents and naturally susceptible to it. If children are differently constituted from the afflicted parent they do not "inherit it." Biliousness is as much of an inheritance as rheumatism, as persons of a bilious temperament are most susceptible to it and they of course get their temperament from their parents. Other authorities claim that rheumatism is caused by the presence of uric acid in the blood. Others to taking cold when their is poison circulating in the blood, others that it is purely and solely a disease of the nervous system. It is well known that when persons have acute or inflammatory rheumatism the bowels are usually constipated and the urine scanty, but it is that not caused by the rheumatism rather than the cause of it, for when the bowels are kept open and the inflammation kept down, a cure is soon produced. The inflammation must be kept down until the parts are restored to a healthy condition. This is not theory as a great many severe cases have been cured in that way. The inflammation being deep seated and mostly in the joints, it is difficult to reach and but few external applications will relieve it, there is one however that will, and that is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, one application is usually sufficient to relieve the pain and only the worst cases require more than one or two fifty cent bottles to effect a cure. It is the most penetrating liniment known and promptly relieves the agonizing pains both of rheumatism and neuralgia. When the parts can be reached and the Pain Balm applied directly to the seat of pain, as in cases of burns and toothache, it relieves instantly and in cases of rheumatism only a few moments are required for its effect to be felt. To keep the bowels open always use St. Patrick's Pills as they are absorbed into the blood, act through it, purify it and thoroughly cleanse the whole system.

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Will cure a severe cold in less time than by any other treatment. It relieves the lungs, opens the secretions, renders the mucous less tenacious and easier to expectorate and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. If freely used as soon as a cold has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system, it will often cure what would have been a severe cold in a single day. It is a certain cure for croup.

Sold at W. J. Turner's.

### Room the Town.

Leave a paper wrapper with a three cent stamp on with H. G. Hanna, city ticket agent of the Missouri Pacific railway, and have a "Lincoln Illustrated" mailed to your friend each, free of charge.

Through sleepers to Chicago are run and all eastern connections made by the Elkhorn Valley and Chicago and Northwestern railroad. Try this elegant route. Offices, 115 South Tenth street and depot corner S and Eighth streets.

Chicago & Northwestern mileage tickets sold to anyone at Elkhorn office, 115 South Tenth street and depot corner S and Eighth streets.

McMurry's addition on K street, below Nineteenth, is one of the highest in the city, as well as being right in the centre of the best growing portion. Call at his office below the Capital National Bank and secure one of these lots.

Only via the Missouri Pacific railroad can you get free reclining chair cars through to Atchison, Kansas City, Chicago, St. Louis, Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

### Lincoln Hack and Baggage Line.

Telephone No. 391, meat market, 937 O street, or No. 391 livery barn. Order slates at same places and U. P. ticket office, corner Eleventh and O streets. Hack stands, Capital hotel and meat market.

### BOHANNON BROS.

### St. Paul and the Northwest.

Points in the above directions are reached best by the Elkhorn valley line. Connections are sure and the line most direct. Get tickets at 115 South Tenth street or depot, corner S and Eighth streets.

### The Burlington Flyers.

General Passenger Agent Eustis was in the city Wednesday and it is on his authority we announce that Nos. 1 and 2, the Chicago-Denver flyers, will be put on again permanently next Monday. This will be cheerful news to travellers, for it had been rumored that these trains would not be put on again.

They know just how to please you with oysters in every style at Brown's New Vienna Cafe.

### To the Travelling Public.

Please note that a superb line of FREE CHAIR CARS is now run between Lincoln and Chicago on trains Nos. 5 and No. 6, also that sleeping car berths or drawing rooms on the "Flyers," Nos. 1 and 2 may be reserved in advance at City Ticket Office, corner Tenth and O Streets.

A. C. ZIMMER, City Passenger Agent.

The ladies of Lincoln have found it to their advantage to buy dress goods and trimmings of J. E. Miller. His stock this season is the largest and finest ever shown in this city and his grand sale has caused all Lincoln ladies to wonder. The prices are exceedingly low and the goods superb in quality and style.

What you need is a medicine which is pure, efficient, reliable. Such is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It possesses peculiar curative powers.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured a great many cases of chronic diarrhoea that had withstood all other treatment for many years. It is undoubtedly, one of the most valuable medical preparations ever discovered. For sale by W. J. Turner.

You will need new curtains when you get ready to clean house. Don't buy until you have seen the superb line for sale by ASBURY & MILLSPAUGH.

Betts & Sewell keep the freshest groceries to be had in the city. Everything in the family supply line at their store, 1130 O street.

Fifty cent glove sale at Oakley & Co.

Party mitts and gloves at Oakley & Co.

Carpets at bottom prices at Oakley & Co.

Black silk mitts just received at Oakley & Co.

Muslin underwear, new line, at Oakley & Co.



## Be Sure to Get Hood's

Sarsaparilla, my child. See that they do not give you anything else. You remember it is the medicine which did mama so much good a year ago—my favorite

## Spring Medicine

Nearly everybody needs a good spring medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla to expel impurities which accumulate in the blood during the winter, keep up strength as warm weather comes on, create an appetite and promote healthy digestion. Try Hood's Sarsaparilla and you will be convinced of its peculiar merits. It is the ideal spring medicine—reliable, beneficial, pleasant to take, and gives full value for the money. Be sure to get

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists, \$1.46 for \$3. Prepared only by C. L. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

### BLOOD POISON.

Old dead teeth contain the quintessence of blood poison. Who can swallow anything out of old teeth at every meal and be healthy? These teeth are dead, altered, and alter frequently cause a swollen face. Should certain teeth be extracted and replaced with good, artificial teeth that never ache. Can be extracted without pain. No pain.



### ABRASION OF THE TEETH.

The above cut shows the teeth of a man 45 years of age, from Dr. Bell in 1831. We meet with this affection in the teeth in various forms and degrees. The ends of the crowns seem very soft, having a low degree of vitality and wear down showing a dark yellowish cupped spot in the center. Many are so foolish as to think that molar teeth are of little account, and let them go by default, after which all the force of the muscles are extended to the front teeth, wearing them down rapidly.

The best, and only remedy, is to cover and build up the ends with gold and platinum, which wears like steel and saves them many years. We make a specialty of fine gold work on building them up, contour fillings, etc.



Cuts A and B are from John Tomes, of England.

A—Two incisors with notches in the ends. B—Shows the peg shaped teeth with yellowish pits in the ends.

For such teeth we have two remedies: First—To fill the pits in the ends with gold. Second—Extract them and replace them with artificial teeth. But the bones absorb away rapidly so that they will need resetting frequently.

We make the finest artificial teeth in the northwest.

We use Justice's and White's patent teeth, with long, heavy pins, mounted on strong elastic plates. Those who patronize us will not be troubled with broken teeth and cracked plates, cancer sore mouths, etc.

To loose the front teeth, is to loose half the power of speech, and more than half the beauty.

### Diseased Gums.



The teeth turn black and die, the gums bleed at the slightest touch, ulcerate, the teeth loosen and fall out, the breath is horrible.

### DR. A. P. BURRUS,

1208 O Street.

On the Rapid Transit, cures up diseased gums, makes the finest gold and platinum fillings, makes the finest teeth that tobacco will not tarnish.

### S. H. BURNHAM, BROKER.

Money loaned on long or short time at lowest rates. Office in Richards' Block, room 23. Take elevator on Eleventh street entrance.

### PEERLESS Steam Laundry